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Sand Point Commercial Salmon Fishery Announcement # 40 For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-42-13

Commercial salmon fishing in the Southwestern, South Central, and Southeastern districts (excluding the areas listed below) will be allowed from 9:00 a.m. Monday, September 2 until 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 4, 2013.

Closed waters

The Volcano Bay (284-36) stat area, as well as the Belkofski Bay Section north of a line extending from Belkofski Point at 55° 04.31′ N. lat., 162° 03.40′ W. long. to Slavna Point at 55° 03.72′ N. lat., 162° 11.42′ W. long., **will remain closed**.

Fishery participants are encouraged to ensure that they have a secure market before harvesting salmon.

All closed waters in the above locations will be as described in the regulation book or as adjusted by emergency order.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon.

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channels 6 and 73 daily at 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Sand Point at 383-2334 (383-ADFG).